

HEIRS TO CONTEST \$100,000 BACK TAX

Estates of Deceased Alexandrians Found Unreported to Assessors for Many Years.

ALEXANDRIA, Va., July 2.—Five million dollars worth of property in Alexandria, which has not been reported for taxation during the past ten years has been assessed by Charles H. Callahan, commissioner of revenue, following instructions of R. Lee Moore, State auditor, and a big legal fight on the part of those who will have to pay a large amount of back taxes will follow. Ten estates of deceased Alexandrians are involved, and if the contention of the State and city authorities is upheld, more than \$100,000 in taxes will be paid into the city and State treasury. Of this amount \$30,000 is due the city of Alexandria, and \$30,000 the State of Virginia.

In the corporation court today a final decree for divorce was entered in favor of Mrs. Annie C. Carlick Ames from James C. Ames on the ground of desertion.

William L. Clift was fined \$50 in police court this morning for selling liquor without a license. He is the proprietor of a houseboat which was raided by Sergeant Scott and several policemen on Sunday. The raiders secured eighty-two bottles of beer and eight half pints of whisky.

The committee named to select a site for the new Alexandria Hospital met yesterday for organization. Robert S. Jones was named as chairman. It was determined to receive propositions for sites up until July 11.

Officers of Sarge's Lodge, I. O. O. F., were installed last night by Thomas Hillier, of Falls Church, district deputy grand master, assisted by the past grand of Falls Church Lodge and Pasternac Lodge of this city, as follows: Henry Simpson, noble grand; J. A. Sprague, vice grand; C. N. Hatch, recording secretary; E. T. Steele, financial secretary; W. N. Brissay, treasurer; C. E. Ward, chaplain; W. D. Zimmerman, right support to noble grand; W. B. Studds, left support to noble grand; J. C. Morgan, right support to vice grand; L. H. McDaniels, left support to vice grand.

The Old Dominion Boat Club will give a smoker on July 16 and a regatta on July 18.

The fire department was called out at 9:30 this morning to a slight blaze at the store of Stewart Simpson, at Wilkes and Alfred streets.

Obituaries

GOFF ALFRED HALL, at 128 Avenue of the Presidents, yesterday.

NORMAN H. KLOPPER, at Allentown, Pa., Tuesday.

ROWENA N. LUMPKINS, Tuesday.

Funerals

EUGENE COX.
The funeral of Eugene Cox, sixty-five years old, of 1414 Fifteenth street northwest, a clerk in the Treasury Department, who died at the Emergency Hospital yesterday as a result of injuries received from a fall Tuesday afternoon, will be held at Epiphany Church at 4 o'clock tomorrow. The Rev. Dr. Peters will officiate. Interment will be in Glenwood Cemetery. Mr. Cox was a cousin of Congressman Omar W. Underwood. For years he was employed as a clerk in the Treasury Department. His widow survives him.

MRS. LANE.
Interment of Mrs. Lane, mother of Mrs. Joseph Garrard, wife of former commandant of Fort Myer, who died Tuesday at Fort Riley, Kans., will be at Arlington. The funeral will arrive here today. Colonel Garrard is now in El Paso, Tex. Mrs. Garrard is stopping at the Raleigh.

MAJOR ALEXANDER HUNTER.
The funeral of Maj. Alexander Hunter, a Confederate veteran, will be held under the auspices of the Charles H. Ralph Camp, Confederate Veterans Association, at Wright's undertaking establishment at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon. Interment will be in the Arlington National Cemetery. Major Hunter served under Colonel Mosby all through the civil war. He was a member of the Virginia Legislature for a number of years, following which he was a correspondent for the New York Herald. For a number of years he was employed in the Land Office.

GOFF ALFRED HALL.
Funeral services, under the direction of the Federal Lodge of Masons, for Goff Alfred Hall, eighty-two years old,

TAKES HIS NEW POST



MAJ. GEN. LEONARD WOOD.

Former Chief of Staff, Who Has Gone To New York to Take Command of the Department of the East. General Wood Will Succeed Brig. Gen. Robert K. Evans, Who Is Temporarily In Command and Practically Under Suspension Pending an Explanation of His Reported Criticism of the Government's Foreign Policy.

who died suddenly at the home of his sister, Mrs. R. B. Donaldson, 125 Avenue of the Presidents, yesterday, will be held at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

Mr. Hall was the second member of his family to be stricken suddenly. His twin brother while on a visit here last March died without warning. These two were said to be the oldest twins in the United States. Mr. Hall was a thirty-second Mason and a member of Central Lodge, F. & A. M. He is survived by other sisters, Mrs. E. E. Hoss, of Doylestown, Pa.; Mrs. Edward Nye, of Rochester, N. Y.; Miss Alice J. Hall, of Portland, Me. and Mrs. J. Hall Lewis, of Fort Houston, Tex.

ARTHUR W. STUDDS.
Funeral services for Arthur W. Studds, forty-six years old, a former resident of this city, who died here yesterday, will be held at Wheatley's undertaking chapel at 4 o'clock this afternoon.

Decrease in Cotton Crop Reported by Department

A report on the cotton crop made by the Department of Agriculture stated that the area of cotton in cultivation this year is about 38,868,000 acres, compared with 37,468,000 acres last year, a decrease of 498,000 acres, or 1.3 per cent. The condition of the crop on June 25 was reported to be 78.4 per cent of normal, compared with 81.8 per cent on June 25, 1913, and 80.7 per cent, the ten-year average.

Would Sell Reservation.

Because owners have complained that the presence of railroad tracks on Government reservation No. 316, which is part of the city square 388, bounded by K. Seventh, and Eighth streets northeast, interfered with property rights, Congressman Taylor of New York, has introduced a bill authorizing the sale of the reservation and the removal of tracks.

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ANACOSTIA.

The Embroidery Club of Anacostia closed its meeting for the present season yesterday with a trip to Sycamore Island. The club has had a most successful season. The members are Mrs. Edmund Mallett, Mrs. Ernest Selby, Mrs. Lella White, Mrs. T. L. Moore, Mrs. William Scantlebury, Jr., Mrs. Edw. F. Wood, Mrs. W. W. Tolson, Mrs. Sowerbutts, Mrs. N. R. Harriah, Harry De Walt and Mrs. U. S. Howser.

Miss Elsie Moran, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. Moran, was married yesterday to Bernard Moran of Washington, at the parsonage of St. Teresa's Church.

William Osborn, of 2223 Shannon place, has gone to Colonial Beach to spend the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Thompson and daughter, Lois, will spend the holiday season with Mr. and Mrs. Walter B. Waddy, at Riverdale, Md.

Edward Connick has returned to his home on U street after a visit to relatives at Marshall Hall.

Thomas McCarthy, an inmate of the Government Hospital for the Insane, escaped from that institution yesterday, but was caught by Officer Stewart of the Eleventh police precinct.

The monthly meeting of the Ladies' Benevolent Society of St. Teresa's Church was held last night.

Maurice Otterback, chairman of the committee of the Anacostia Citizens' Association in charge of the town flower gardens at Nichols avenue and U street has received commendation from everyone because of the splendid showing made so far this year by these beds.

Work at the Washington Steel and Ordnance Company's plant at Giesboro Point, is expected to steadily increase from the present time, so that within a comparatively short time the usual number of men will be employed.

ROCKVILLE.

Charged by Deputy Sheriff Charles Norris, of Bethesda, with striking him while on a Washington and Rockville electric car a few evenings ago, Douglas Edwards, Hiram Masgrove and Follins Vaughn, young residents of Bethesda, were fined \$5 and costs each by Judge Mace yesterday. They asserted that Norris started the trouble without provocation.

The supervisors of elections will meet next Tuesday to decide upon boundary lines for a new election precinct in Gaithersburg district. There are now more than 700 voters in the district.

Miss Florence M. Williams, of Boyds, and Nathan S. White, of Baltimore, were married Tuesday at the home of the bride's grandfather, James E. Williams. The officiating minister was the Rev. O. A. Gillingham, pastor of the Presbyterian Church at Darnestown.

CONGRESS HEIGHTS.

The activities of the Parent-Teacher Association of this suburb have been brought to a close for the summer months. Mrs. E. E. Richardson, wife of Dr. Richardson, pastor of the Baptist Church, has been elected president of the association, to succeed Mrs. Merritt Earl, who held the position for two years.

The marriage of Miss Margaret Van Sise to Hiram Masgrove has been announced. It took place last Saturday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Masgrove went on a brief wedding journey, returning yesterday.

W. W. Price, president of the Public Improvement Association, will name the standing committees of this association for the ensuing year at the next meeting, on July 13.

Solly Succeeds Cisco.

The vacancy created by the resignation of John A. Cisco as head of the Board of Children's Guardians, has been filled by J. Lawrence Solly, of Philadelphia, who took charge yesterday. Mr. Solly is twenty-nine years old, and has had several years' experience in this work.

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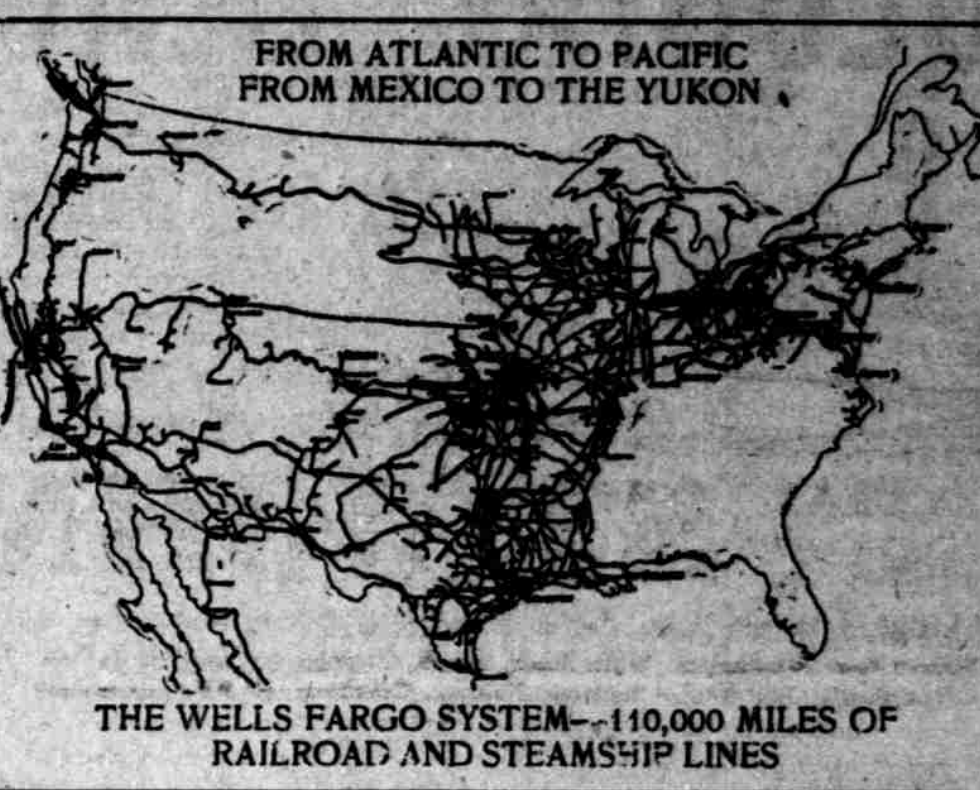
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